IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

WRIT PETITION NO.9998 OF 2004

Shri Jitendra Dhirubhai Surti, .. Petitioner.

Vs

Smt. Sangita Jitendra Surti, .. Respondent.

Mr.P.G.Sawant, for the petitioner.

CORAM : D.B.BHOSALE,J.

DATE : 21st December, 2004.

PC:

1. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner.

2. By the impugned order, the Family Court has directed to pay Rs.4500/- per month to the respondent by way of interim maintenance pending the petition filed by the petitioner for dissolution of marriage under section 13(1)(i-a) of the Hindu Marriage Act,1955. It appears that the petitioner is income-tax payer and his annual income, on his own showing, is Rs.21,000/- per month. Keeping that in view, the Family Court by way of an interim order fixed the maintenance at the rate of Rs.4500/- per month. I find no infirmity in the impugned order. The writ petition, therefore, fails and is dismissed as such.

(D.B.BHOSALE, J.)